

## World AIDS Day 2019



## HIV Around the World (1)

HIV continues to be a major global public health issue, having claimed more than 32 million lives so far. In 2018, 770,000 people died from HIV-related causes globally.

There were approximately 37.9 million people living with HIV [PLWH] at the end of 2018 with 1.7 million people becoming newly infected in 2018 globally.

62% of adults and 52% of children living with HIV were receiving lifelong antiretroviral therapy [ART] in 2018.

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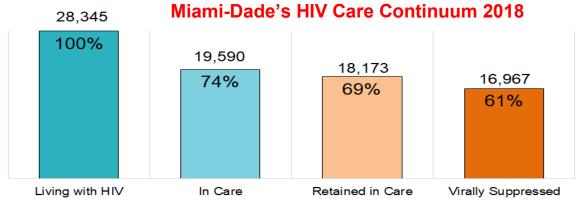
It is estimated that currently only 79% of people with HIV know their status. In 2018, 23.3 million people living with HIV were receiving ART globally.

## **Persons Living with HIV (PLWH)**

	United States <sup>(2)</sup>		Florida <sup>(3)</sup>		Miami-Dade County (3)	
Race/Ethnicity	No.	Percent	No.	Percent	No.	Percent
White	302,283	30%	34,475	29%	3,047	11%
Black	413,587	42%	54,117	45%	11,894	42%
Hispanic	214,935	22%	28,586	24%	13,030	46%
Other *	59,841	6%	2,483	2%	374	1%
TOTAL	991,447	100%	119,661	100%	28,345	100%

<sup>\*</sup>Other includes American Indian/Alaska Native, Asian/Pacific Islander, and multi-racial.

The HIV Care Continuum reflects the series of steps a person living with HIV (PLWH) from initial diagnosis to being retained in care and achieving a very low level of viral load in the blood (viral suppression). The risk of HIV transmission is greatly reduced when people have an undetectable viral load.



In care: Documented care ≥1 time in 2018. Retained in Care: Documented ≥2 times, ≥3 months apart in 2018.

## Data Sources:

(2) US Data: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: HIV Surveillance Report, 2017 (most recent available) Vol. 29. Table 22a. 2016 Data. http://www.cdc.gov/hiv/topics/surveillance/resources/reports/index.htm. Total includes persons whose race/ethnicity is unknown.

(3) Florida and County Data: FL Department of Health, Bureau of Communicable Diseases, HIV/AIDS Section, 2018. Epidemiological profile. Data as of

June 30, 2019. For more Florida data: http://floridaaids.org/

World Data: World Health Organization, 2018, http://www.who.int/en/news-room/fact-sheets/detail/hiv-aids